

There is a settlement a few miles from Burlington, Lawrence Co, of one hundred and fifty colored people. It has never been visited by our agents, nor are we able to give statistics. It is said that they own considerable

posed the censure of the Hon. J. R. Giddings for the presentation of his famous resolves, and of the course pursued by the Hon. P. S. Wood in particular.

Resolved, That we heartily disapprove the conduct of those Representatives from Ohio who voted to censure Mr. Giddings for introducing resolutions containing his views of a public transaction, as disorganizing in its tendency and subversive of political and civil liberty.

Society adjourned to meet on the 3rd Tuesday of August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Foster school-house, two miles South of Mt. Lebanon.

By order of Society,  
ALLEN McNEAL.

On motion of Gen. Paioe, a committee of

which respected the rights of humanity was only one they dared to break, and this scarcely one did keep, was sad indeed. Still

century offence to furoisist a slave with a Biv-  
tracet. Christian masters make and sus-  
these laws. They make no efforts for  
repeal. 'This may truly be called "the  
merican system." Southern missionary so-  
cetes send Bibles and tracts without number  
the Mahometan dominions without moti-  
tinn: should a Mahomedan offer a few  
es of the Koran, or the Bible to slaves, he  
ld find his place in a Southern jail! Such  
Christian liberality in the United States in  
32.

To appropriate the earnings of the state

But, as to the truth of the representations of the abolitionists concerning the *treatment of the slaves*, other facts than those presented in the Cincinnati Enquirer, must determine.

Let us compare the ratios of increase, of the *white and colored populations*.

The average ratio of the former for each decennial period, since 1790, is 33 and a fraction per cent. The last ten years, it was 34.34 lbs. The average ratio of the increase of the slaves, every ten years since 1780, excluding the period between 1860, and 1810, and the last decennial period, was 29, per cent. From 1800 to 1860, the increase of the trade was carried on briskly, and this accounts for the fact, that in the period ending 1810, the ratio of increase of the slave, was 33.1-2 per cent.

Now, if the tables of longevity show, that the colored people of this country are endowed with greater tenacity of life—in other words,

are more enduring constitutions than the whites, how happens it, that the ratio of increase falls short of that of the whites, on an average, nearly 5 per cent.? It can only be explained, on the supposition of cruel treatment, and by the fact, that slavery establishes among its victims an universal system of concubinage.

But, the last decennial period, we excluded from our calculation, for a special reason. The census for 1840, shows a most singular decrease in the ratio of slave-increase. Instead of being 29 per cent., it fell to 23 3-4ths, while

Will the writer in the Enquirer explain the reason? Does it show kind treatment on the part of the masters? We will tell him the reason. The extinction of the Indian titles, and the opening of new lands in the South West, with the superabundant facilities offered by the land office

tremendous impetus to the American slave-trade—which was relied on to furnish the mad speculators of the cotton-growing region of the Mississippi, with slaves from the Northern slave states. Propagation was hereby checked, and the same voracious cupidity which converted Virginia and Maryland and the adjoining states into an American gold coast; by over-driving, and under-feeding the newly imported slaves, occasioned a hostile reaction of

you render necessary, or find the authority to do

perpetual chattelizing of two million four hun-





